

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COMMISSION DIRECTIVE**

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER	<input type="checkbox"/>	DATE	<u>April 19, 2018</u>
MOTOR CARRIER MATTER	<input type="checkbox"/>	DOCKET NO.	<u>2018-59-E</u>
UTILITIES MATTER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ORDER NO.	<u>2018-291</u>

THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE.

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 2018-59-E - Joint Petition of Aiken Electric Cooperative, Incorporated; Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Incorporated; and South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for the Assignment and Reassignment of Territory in Calhoun, Lexington, and Richland Counties and Approval of an Agreement to Limit Corridor Rights – Return Date Has Expired. Staff Presents for Commission Consideration the Joint Petition of Aiken Electric Cooperative, Incorporated, Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Incorporated, and South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for the Assignment and Reassignment of Territory in Calhoun, Lexington, and Richland Counties and Approval of an Agreement to Limit Corridor Rights.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Pursuant to Commission Statute 58-27-610(1) and 58-27-620(8), the Joint Petition requests: (1) The reassignment of territories between SCE&G, Aiken Electric, and Tri-County, in Calhoun County, Lexington County, and Richland County; and (2) the limitation of corridor rights in those cases.

The parties assert that the Joint Petition resulted from good-faith negotiations, the desire to avoid wasteful duplication of electric distribution lines, and safe operation of those systems. In addition, the parties state that they have given careful consideration to system economy, service reliability, good utility practice, efficiency, and safety.

The Office of Regulatory Staff does not object to granting the requests, but, if approved, it recommends that the utilities file amended territorial assignment maps to reflect the requested modifications

Move we grant the request for reassignment of territories and the limitation of corridor rights in those areas, and instruct the company to file amended territorial assignment maps to reflect the requested modifications.

PRESIDING: Whitfield

SESSION: Regular

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER	
BOCKMAN	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
ELAM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
FLEMING	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Absent</u>	Commission Business
HAMILTON	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
HOWARD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
RANDALL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
WHITFIELD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		

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RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding